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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1102
By Davidson

A RESOLUTION to recognize the outstanding achievements of Richard Clark in pursuing higher education and as a member of the United States Army.

WHEREAS, Richard Clark was born 24 years ago to former State Representative Dick Clark of Nashville and Sharon Clark; a remarkably motivated young man, he is a member of the 82nd Airborne Division of the United States Army; and

WHEREAS, trained in airborne operations and air assault, Richard achieved the rank of Sergeant in twenty-two months and has secured a Top Secret security classification for use in Military Intelligence work; and

WHEREAS, Richard Clark graduated from the University of South Carolina with a Bachelor of Science degree in Political Science and was an officer in the Sigma Nu fraternity; he compiled an enviable 3.5 GPA and was designated as a Distinguished Military Graduate; and

WHEREAS, true to his family traditions, Mr. Clark has turned his energies to political concerns, heading up Volunteers for Gore at the University of South Carolina during the last

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presidential election and working as an intern in Congressman John Tanner's office in the summer of 2001; and

WHEREAS, Richard Clark's demonstrated abilities in academics, military service and the political arena bode well for his future success, as he prepares to attend the University of Memphis Law School in the fall of 2002; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we pause in our deliberations to recognize the unwavering drive and outstanding achievements of Richard Clark and wish him well as he prepares for a career in the law.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That we offer him our best wishes for every success, happiness and satisfaction in all his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.